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1. The S. M. Kirow Werk in Leipzig is to undergo a drastic reorientation in consequence of the Seven-Year Plan. By 1965 it is to be reconstructed as the sole producer in East Germany of elevators and special cranes. Its total production by 1965 is supposed to be 220 % of that in 1959; however, the value of the production is to increase only from 66 million DME to 100-110 million DME. At the same time, the number of workers is to be reduced: the number of production workers is to be reduced by 270 or 280 and the number of office workers by 70-80.
2. Following are some of the details of the production plan (figures are given in units of equipment):

a. Elevators in general:	1960	650
	1961	770
	1962	900
	1963	1100
	1964	1400
	1965	2000

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In each year 500 elevators are reserved for the Soviet Union; the additional production, beyond this number, is to be available for East Germany.

- b. Construction elevators: 100 in 1960; this number is to be increased step by step to a total of 220-260 in 1965.
- c. High-speed cranes: 58-65 in 1960; this number is to be increased step by step to a total of 446-500 in 1965.
- d. Traveling cranes: 104 in 1959 and 78 in 1960; by successive reductions the number is to reach zero in 1965. Production of traveling cranes is

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to be carried on in the future by VEB Kranbau Eberswalde, VEB Kranbau Köthen, and VEB Kranbau Zomag in Zeitz.

- e. Railroad revolving cranes (EDK), special cranes for metallurgical works or foundries, tip cars, and motor grabs: These are to continue to be a special product of the Kirow-Werk and to be included in the plan in accordance with demand; an increase in the current production figures by 1965 is expected. The construction of revolving cranes for the railroads will have to be modified, since the Reichsbahn wishes to use these cranes also as bridge feeder cranes (Brückeneinlegekran).
- f. The production of articles for mass consumption is to be increased by 1965 to the point where all demands can be met. This signifies an increase of 2.5-3 million DME in the value of the plant's production, and will require the plant to put on the market such articles as refrigerators and complete bathroom installations.

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